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November 20, 2000

By Hand Delivery

Mr. David P. Boergers, Secretary
Federal Energy Regulatory Commission
888 First Street, N.E.
Washington, D.C. 20426

Re: Avista Corporation, et al. – Docket No. RT01-15

Dear Mr. Boergers:

Enclosed for filing are an original and fourteen (14) copies of the Motion to Intervene of Reliant Energy Power Generation, Inc. in the above Docket.

Also enclosed are two (2) additional copies of the Motion, to be time-stamped and returned to my messenger.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Respectfully submitted,



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Enclosures

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MOTION TO INTERVENE AND
COMMENTS OF RELIANT ENERGY POWER GENERATION, INC.

Pursuant to Rule 214 of the Rules of Practice and Procedure of the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission ("FERC" or "Commission"), 18 C.F.R. § 385.214, Reliant Energy Power Generation, Inc. ("REPG") hereby submits its Motion to Intervene In the November 15, 2000 compliance filings by the captioned parties (the "Applicants").

I

COMMUNICATIONS

All correspondence, communications, pleadings and other documents relating to this proceeding should be addressed to the following individuals:

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REPG requests that each of the individuals identified above be placed on the Commissions official service list in this proceeding.

II

NATURE OF PROCEEDINGS

On November 15, 2000, Applicants tendered for filing their compliance filings in these dockets as required by the Commission in Order 2000. Comments by interested parties are due on or before November 20, 2000.

III

INTEREST OF REPG

REPG has its principal place of business at 1111 Louisiana in Houston, Texas and is a wholly owned subsidiary of Reliant Energy, Incorporated. REPG owns and operates unregulated electric generation facilities in the in many parts of the United States and has been an active participant in the limited stakeholder process leading up to this filing. REPG has a direct and substantial interest in this proceeding, which cannot adequately be represented by any other party.

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COMMENTS

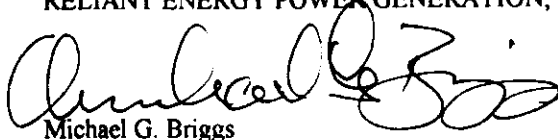
REPG generally supports the comments filed in these dockets by the Northwest

IPP/Marketers Group in these dockets.

WHEREFORE, for the reasons set forth herein, REPG respectfully that it be granted party status in this proceeding and that the Commission grant the relief requested.

Respectfully submitted,

RELIANT ENERGY POWER GENERATION, INC.



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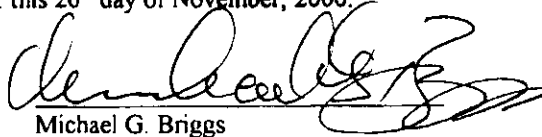
Counsel for Reliant Energy Power Generation, Inc.

November 20, 2000

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the forgoing document upon each person designated on the official service list compiled by the Secretary in these proceedings.

Dated at Washington, D.C. this 20th day of November, 2000.


Michael G. Briggs